


PATENT

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant : Thomas J. Quigley et al.
Application No. : to be assigned
Filed : herewith
Title : ROBUST TECHNIQUES FOR OPTIMAL
UPSTREAM COMMUNICATION BETWEEN CABLE
MODEM SUBSCRIBERS AND A HEADEND

JC996 U.S. PTO
09/780179
02/09/01

Grp./Div. : to be assigned
Examiner : to be assigned

Docket No. : 33841/LTR/B600

INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT
FOR A CONTINUING NON-CPA APPLICATION

Assistant Commissioner for Patents
Washington, D.C. 20231

Post Office Box 7068
Pasadena, CA 91109-7068
February 9, 2001

Commissioner:

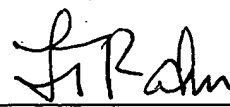
In compliance with the duty of disclosure under 37 CFR §§ 1.56, 1.97 and 1.98, enclosed are four FORM PTO-1449 forms. The references listed thereon are not enclosed because they are of record in parent Application No. 09/430,821, filed October 29, 1999. Also enclosed is a copy of the International Search Report dated July 28, 2000, a copy of the International Search Report dated October 9, 2000, and a copy of the Written Opinion dated November 15, 2000 for International Patent Application No. PCT/US99/25675.

It is respectfully requested that these references be considered in the examination of this application, and identified in the list of references cited on the patent issuing on this application.

Respectfully submitted,

Express Mail No. EL366428393US CHRISTIE, PARKER & HALE, LLP

By



LeRoy T. Rahn
Reg. No. 20,356
626/795-9900

LTR/amb
Enclosures
AMB PAS326898.1-*2/9/01 2:53 PM